Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1 to 99. (Canceled)

- 100. (Currently Amended) A surgical device for at least one of cutting and stapling a section of tissue, comprising:
 - a housing for staples, the housing defining a bore and having a distal end;
- a trocar shaft disposed through the bore of the housing so as to be moveable relative to the housing, wherein at least a portion of the trocar shaft that extends distally relative to a clamping face at the distal end of the housing is flexible; and

an anvil attachable to the trocar shaft and configured to be moveable relative to the housing by movement of the trocar shaft,

wherein at least a portion of the trocar shaft that is extendable distally relative to a clamping face at the distal end of the housing and that is extendable between the clamping face and the anvil is flexible.

- 101. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 100, wherein the anvil includes an anvil shaft, the anvil shaft defining a trocar receiving slot, and the trocar shaft including a trocar configured to be insertable within the trocar receiving slot.
- 102. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 101, wherein the trocar receiving slot is defined in a cable extension element having an axially-extending bore in communication with the trocar receiving slot.
- 103. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 102, wherein the axially-extending bore has a wide portion into which the trocar is insertable and a narrow portion which retains the trocar within the axially-extending bore.
- 104. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 103, wherein the trocar shaft is moveable relative to the housing between an extended position and a retracted position by operation of at least one driver within the housing.

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- 105. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 104, wherein the driver is attachable to a rotatable drive shaft, the rotatable drive shaft selectively rotated by at least one motor.
- 106. (Previously Presented) The surgical device of claim 105, wherein the rotatable drive shaft is selectively rotated under the control of a controller.

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